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TC/A.U.: 3672  
Examiner: Daniel P. Stephenson  
Assignee: Yates Petroleum Corporation  
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Enclosed for filing in the above application please find the following:

1. a Response to Restriction Requirement Under 35 U.S.C. §121 (18 pages);
2. this Letter of Transmittal (2 pages); and
3. a Certificate of Facsimile Transmittal (1 page).

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I have this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006, either myself personally or through my direction of staff at this office, transmitted all of the items in the above letter of transmittal via facsimile number 571-273-8300, addressed to Examiner Daniel P. Stephenson, Group Art Unit 3672.

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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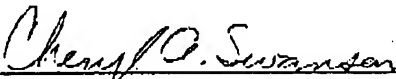
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Dated this <sup>th</sup>30 day of June, 2006.

  
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